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News worth sharing.



► Lottery winner Tony Mather, left, toasts the win with some 18-year-old scotch beside co-worker and fellow winner Colin Willard, who holds the winning 6-49 ticket worth more than \$7 million.

Laid-off employees hit jackpot

► Ten of the lottery winners will be laid off on Sept. 9, says co-worker ► The other eight are to be laid off at later date

In a surprising twist of fate, 18 lucky SMART Technologies employees who were recently told they were getting laid off are heading to Toronto Friday to collect a multi-million-dollar lottery jackpot.

Colin Willard and his co-workers of the Kanata-based firm, which manufactures electronic whiteboards, were told about the layoffs on Tuesday. The next day, Willard bought a Quick Pick Lotto 6-49 ticket with 17 co-workers.

At 6:30 Thursday morning, Willard couldn't believe his eyes when he checked the numbers.

"I couldn't stop shaking," he said. "When I was looking at them, I didn't believe it and I asked somebody to come over and see if I was reading them right."

The grand total is \$7,077,095.80.

"My wife was wondering where we're going from here, and now we don't have to worry about it."

COLIN WILLARD

After doing their happy dance, the group arranged to divide the jackpot, giving each winner about \$390,000.

Willard said he plans to pay off his mortgage and other bills, and to eventually replace his truck with a new car. He doesn't know when his last day at work will be, but he plans to return to work and finish the job, beginning Monday.

"It's kind of depressing," he said. "But you've still got to go on."

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Opening. Act



► Country singer and star of TV show The Tara Diaries Tara Oram performs on the first day of Capital Hoedown at LeBreton flats.

MARC DESROSIER/FOR METRO

Country stars come out for music festival

Capital Hoedown kicked off Thursday at LeBreton flats with performances by Kenny Chesney, Doc Walker, Tara Oram and MacKenize Porter. More than 25,000 people are expected to attend the country music festival, which runs until Aug. 13.

Bus driver's risky driving taped

► YouTube-famous bus driver disciplined, not fired, by transit company ► Driver's union calls tape a violation of privacy ► City councillor says dangerous driving the issue, not privacy



JESSICA SMITH
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If you're working in the public eye, don't object to having video or photos taken of you and posted to the Internet, said city Coun. Maria McRae Thursday after a privacy debate sprang up over a YouTube video of a Gatineau bus driver.

"The issue just offends me, not just as a city councillor, but as a member of

the public who could be on the streets that have someone driving so dangerously," McRae said.

In the video — recorded by a passenger and viewed more than 130,000 times on YouTube — a Société de transport de l'Outaouais driver fills out paperwork while driving through Gatineau at what appears to be a quick speed. His hands are off of the wheel for most of the video while he writes, the papers on

"Sometimes you hear of these horrific collisions, people being hurt, people being killed. It could be because of a distracted driver. In this case we hope that person learned their lesson."

COUN. MARIA MCRAE

top of a leather folio, which rests against the wheel.

The president of the driver's union — Gatineau ATU 591 — said the man's privacy rights were violated.

President of OC Trans-

po's union (ATU 279) Garry Queale said he would support banning video taping on buses. But Queale agreed the driver's behaviour raises serious safety concerns. He said he would prefer the rider raise the is-

sue with the OC Tranpo complaints department instead of posting a video.

That doesn't wash with McRae.

"If a driver has a public job, doing it in the public for the public, what are they afraid of, unless they're doing something they shouldn't be doing?" she said. "And I say thank goodness this person took this so there was an opportunity to have this case heard."

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Bomb threat probed by police

► Investigation continues as police search for woman who told police about a bomb in government building



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More than 3,000 employees were told to leave the Phase IV building at Place du Portage in Gatineau after police received a call about a bomb threat on Thursday.

Officer Pierre Brault of the Gatineau police said at 11:06 a.m. the emergency centre received a 911 call from a woman, believed to be in her mid-20s, who claimed there was a bomb inside the building.

Brault said the English-speaking woman made a call from a nearby com-



► A police car sits outside the Phase IV building at Place du Portage in Gatineau Thursday afternoon.

mercial establishment.

Police searched each level of the building but did not find anything suspicious.



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► Olympic silver medalist Elizabeth Manley, standing in between Stittsville Coun. Shad Qadri and Mayor Jim Watson, is welcomed at the Elizabeth Manley Park in Ottawa on Thursday.

Figure skater celebrates with kids

Olympic figure skater Elizabeth Manley on Thursday visited the public park that bears her name to help the city celebrate its summer day programs for kids.

"I think this is a great

program and I'm honoured that it's here in my park and I think it's great for the children," she said.

The city named Elizabeth Manley Park following the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympics, where

she won silver.

"My dad actually lived on Karsh (Drive)," she recalled. "His backyard backed onto (the park) and it freaked him out when they named it after me."

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Public transit popular

OC Transpo racked up record ridership numbers this spring, with 24.93 million passenger trips in the period from April to June, according to the transit service's second-quarter performance report.

That's an increase of 9.9 per cent over the same period last year, and more than double the national average ridership increase of 4.1 per cent.

"This big increase in the number of people using OC Transpo is great news," said Mayor Jim Watson. "It is clear that the residents of Ottawa know that public transit is a real alternative for getting around in our growing city."

● STEVE COLLINS

City hall busy again

After a quiet month at city hall, committee rooms will be back in action next week, with meetings of the planning committee, the transit commission, the Ottawa Board of Health and more.

See ottawa.ca for more details.

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Pension fund chat

The city's transit commission will discuss a staff plan to cover shortfalls in the OC Transpo pension plan with new borrowing this week. The fund suffered investment losses following the 2008 financial crisis and this year's budget includes \$13 million to cover its deficit. ● METRO

Shopkeeper traps thief



► Police officers investigate after a suspect was arrested at Kerby Official's pawn shop on Wednesday evening.

► Robbery suspect headed for hard-to-open back door ► Owner ran out the front and locked him in

Instead of leaving with merchandise or money, a robbery suspect ended up locked inside a Vanier pawn shop with the owner safely outside.

"He walked in, I let him go in," said the pawn shop's owner, Kerby Official. "He pointed a gun at me."

That's when the suspect headed for the pawn shop's back door and Official ran out and locked the front door behind him.

"Of course I have a back door, but I know how to open it. He doesn't know how to open it," he said.

The tricky back door usually takes Official

"I had no idea. When somebody points a gun at you, you don't have time to look."

KERBY OFFICIAL, ON BEING HELD UP WITH A FAKE GUN

about a minute to open under normal circumstances, he said.

The robbery suspect was inside for 30 to 40 minutes before he was arrested, said police.

"I saw all the police officers leaning against the cars with their guns out," said Madeleine Dubeau, a witness who lives in the area. "This is just like in the movies."

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A quixotic turn for civil service hero

► Author's Don Quixote attacks briefing notes, not windmills



Don Quixote may fight windmills, but his modern alter ego Don Quincy fights bureaucracy.

Dick Bourgeois-Doyle is a director at the National Research Council Canada in Ottawa and the author of *The Most Strategic, Integrated and Aligned Servant of the Public: Don Quincy*



► Dick Bourgeois-Doyle

de la Mangement.

Bourgeois-Doyle's 133-page novel concerns a hero who loses his mind from reading too many briefing notes and policies.

His adventures echo specific episodes in Don Quixote, where "the interplay between reality, insanity and imagination may be timeless," said Bourgeois-Doyle on Thursday. The novel is a front-to-back parody of Miguel de Cervantes' celebrated saga, right down to the author's pseudonym, Michel D. Cervésasse.

The idea to parody Don Quixote in a government office first started as a humorous blog he shared with colleagues earlier this year. Bourgeois-Doyle had

"People (who) are retiring from the public service are getting it as a retirement gift."

AUTHOR DICK BOURGEOIS-DOYLE

just re-read the 17th century Spanish classic *The Ingenious Gentleman Don Quixote of La Mancha*.

Continuing this theme, the book's first launch will be in Madrid, Spain, on August 27th, in reverse of the original Don Quixote, which shipped from Spain to the New World in the 1600s, said Bourgeois-Doyle.

An Ottawa launch will take place this fall, at Chapters in the Gloucester Centre.



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► Binx the cat

COURTESY OF THE LAFONTAINE VETERINARY CLINIC

Therapy cat stolen, leaving teen forlorn

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The thieves struck in broad daylight. One distracted receptionist Veronique Gagne and the other made off with Binx the cat.

Binx is a therapy cat who means the world to 17-year-old Melissa Gaudreault, an employee of the Lafontaine Veterinary Clinic in Rockland. She is autistic.

"She started volunteering about three years ago," said Gagne. "She was very shy. She would only stay in the corner. Then Binx went up to her."

The cat, who with piercing yellow eyes and jet black fur doesn't look all that friendly, made all the difference.

"He would sit on her lap for hours and hours and she would pet him. Eventually she started talking

to him," Gagne said. "And day by day she was being a little bit less shy with us. She started speaking to us, she would do chores around the clinic, and because of him she's actually employed here now."

Gaudreault helps clean and care for the animals. She's also much more outspoken than she used to be, said Gagne.

"Since he's been stolen, she's back to her corner, shy. She yells out his name," Gagne said.

The clinic is offering a \$500 reward for information that will lead them to Binx.

Gagne said she doesn't know why the couple targeted the therapy cat.

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Famine forces tortured choice

► Somali parents fleeing drought must choose which child lives ► More than 12 million people in need of food

Wardo Mohamud Yusuf walked for two weeks with her one-year-old daughter on her back and her four-year-old son at her side to flee Somalia's drought and famine. When the boy collapsed near the end of the journey, she poured some of the little water she had on his head to cool him, but he was unconscious and could not drink.

She asked other families travelling with them for help, but none stopped, fearful for their own survival.

Then the 29-year-old mother had to make a choice that no parent should have to make.

"Now I'm reliving the pain of abandoning my child. I wake up at night to think about him. I feel terrified whenever I see a son of his age."

WARDO MOHAMUD YUSUF ON THE FOUR-YEAR-OLD SHE LEFT BEHIND

"Finally, I decided to leave him behind to his God on the road," Yusuf said days later in an interview at a teeming refugee camp in Dadaab, Kenya. "I am sure that he was alive, and that is my heartbreak."

Parents fleeing the dev-

astating famine on foot — sometimes with as many as seven children in tow — are having to make unimaginably cruel choices: Which children have the best chance to survive when food and water run low? Who should be left behind?

The United States estimates that more than 29,000 Somali children under age five have died in the famine in the last three months. An unknown number too weak to walk farther have been abandoned on the sandy trek to help after food and water supplies ran out.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



► In this picture taken on Wednesday, Salat, 5, looks for her parents near the IFO camp, north of Dadaab, Eastern Kenya, 100 kilometres from the Somali border. She was later picked up by her uncle, who said he would reunite Salat with her parents.



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Sex attacks reported against Somali women

A UN envoy is expressing concern about reports of sexual attacks against Somali women fleeing famine.

Margot Wallstrom, the secretary-general's special representative on sexual violence in conflict, said in a statement Thursday that women and girls "are subjected to attacks, including rape, by armed militants and bandits" on the journey to the Kenya border.

Once in Kenya or at the

Dadaab refugee camp, she said, "their hopes of finding a safe haven are often overshadowed by new dangers and hardships, including the risk of rape."

Wallstrom said her office also has received "alarming information about alleged rapes" by government-allied militias in south-central Somalia and of al-Shabab Islamist militants abducting girls for forced marriage to fighters.

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► Somalis from southern Somalia make their way to the refugee camp in Mogadishu on Thursday.

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Online harasser prompts petition

Some allege Montrealer has been e-threatening for nearly 20 years

Police are probing the musings of a Montreal man following a deluge of complaints from around the world about his alleged habit of threatening people online.

Montreal police have received so many complaints about alleged threats from the man that they are urging tipsters to stop emailing and let them do their investigative work.

In the past few days, more than 3,000 people have signed a petition calling on police to investigate reports of death threats against atheists and secular scientists. Each signature resulted in an email to police.

While some say past complaints about the Montrealer to police, who goes

You've got mail!

Too many messages:

- The online petition states that while the suspect was previously considered a minor annoyance, "the intensity and frequency of his communications have increased."
- One Minnesota biology professor says that now, when he wakes up every morning and turns on his computer, he needs to delete a pile of spam sent by Mabus.

by the online moniker "David Mabus," have fallen on deaf ears. The force said it hadn't actually received a formal complaint until this week. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Tour. Costa Rica



Canadian Prime Minister Stephen Harper takes part in a training session as he tours a police training school in San Jose, Costa Rica.

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Paging Dr. Harper?

Harper is on a four-country tour of Latin America that wraps up on Friday with a stop in Honduras.



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A new face ... and lips to kiss her loved ones

Photos show chimp-attack victim's startling transformation

The new face of a woman who was mauled by a chimpanzee two years ago was revealed for the first time Thursday in photos showing a startling transformation.

"I will now be able to do things I once took for granted," said Charla Nash, 57. "I will be able to smell. I will be able to eat normally. I will no longer be disfigured.

"I will have lips and will speak clearly once again. I will be able to kiss and hug loved ones.

"I am tremendously grateful to the donor and



► An attack by a berserk chimpanzee left Charla Nash horribly disfigured, left. But skilful surgeons in Boston, Mass., gave her a new life with a face transplant.

her family."

Nash, who's now living in a Boston-area nursing home, was attacked in February 2009 by a neigh-

bour's 90-kilogram pet chimpanzee.

In late May, she underwent a full face transplant in Boston. She received

skin, underlying muscles, blood vessels, nerves, a hard palate and teeth from a donor who had died.

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RIOTS AFTERMATH

Britain wants U.S. to help it defeat the thugs

Prime Minister David Cameron says Britain will look to the United States for solutions to gang violence after nights of riots and looting.

He promised authorities will get strong powers to stop street mayhem erupting again.

Cameron told lawmakers Thursday he is "acting decisively to restore order on our streets," as police raided houses to round up suspects from four nights of unrest in London and other English cities.

Cameron said authorities are considering new

powers, including allowing police to order thugs to remove masks or hoods, evicting troublemakers from subsidized housing and temporarily disabling cellphone instant-messaging services.

He said the 16,000 police deployed on London's streets to deter rioters and reassure residents will remain through the weekend.

"We will not let a violent few beat us," Cameron said.

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Police swooped on houses across London Thursday, detaining suspects and retrieving stolen goods. The number of people arrested since Saturday rose to 950, with 457 suspects charged.

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Japan salutes Canadian boy for tsunami gift

► Japanese ships visit Halifax for first time since 2002



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METRO CANADA IN HALIFAX

Not every Dartmouth boy has his own replica Samurai helmet straight from Japan.

Nine-year-old Aleks Burchill stood wide-eyed as Rear Admiral Umio Otsuka, commander of the Japanese Training Squadron, presented him with the stunning gift onboard a Japanese ship.

Three Japanese ships arrived in Halifax Thursday morning as part of a five-month training cruise.



► Aleks Burchill

Burchill was recognized for his efforts in fundraising and sending more than 1,000 paper cranes to the people of Japan after the devastating earthquake and tsunami struck in March.

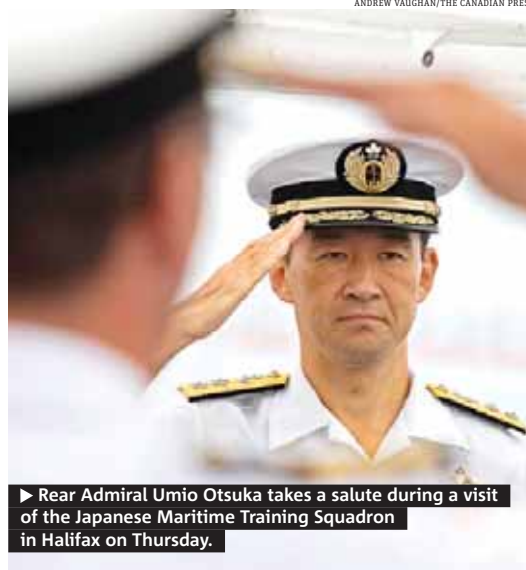
Receiving such a gift in return was "fun and excit-

"People were hurt and scared and they pretty much lost everything. I decided I really wanted to do something to help." ALEKS BURCHILL

ing," he added.

"I'm going to put it in my room where I've put all my other stuff from this project."

Being able to express gratitude for the international response makes this a special training cruise, said Otsuka.



► Rear Admiral Umio Otsuka takes a salute during a visit of the Japanese Maritime Training Squadron in Halifax on Thursday.

"The Canadian government sent blankets for the people in the refuge in a very timely manner soon after the disaster occurred. After that a lot of charity programs were running to help the people in Japan," he said.

"And the moral support from people like Aleks

boosts our feelings up."

Reconstruction is still ongoing but thankfully only one part and not the whole country was struck by the earthquake and tsunami.

"The country is fully functioning and I urge you to go to Japan to spend your holiday," he said.

LAST TRIP FOR SUB

It was a sad day for submariners as a piece of Canadian naval history was carried out of the harbour on Thursday destined for an Ontario scrapyard.

The Okanagan, one of four Halifax-based Oberon-class submarines, was carried out on a barge in the morning. She's following the same journey her sister submarine, the Olympus, made in July to a shipwreckers in Lake Erie.

"It's sad when I think of the number of people who have gone through that submarine," said D.H. (Buster) Brown who served on the Okanagan for 13 years.

The Onondaga was spared and delivered to a museum in 2008.

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Israel preps for rallies

► **Mass Palestinian demonstrations expected to coincide with the UN General Assembly session**

Israeli security forces are importing horses, water cannons, tear-gas launchers and a nauseating noise machine to control crowds if they become violent at Palestinian protests planned next month to support their bid for UN endorsement of statehood. Israel is hoping the measures will avoid casualties among demonstrators.

Palestinian authorities have made plans that aim to keep the protests peaceful and avoid confrontations with Israelis. Israel fears that a single incident could trigger a flood of violence.

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Building plan

- Israel's interior minister gave final authorization to build 1,600 apartments in disputed east Jerusalem, officials said Thursday, detailing a plan that could complicate diplomatic efforts to dissuade Palestinians from declaring statehood at the UN.
- The announcement drew criticism from Israel's leading anti-settlement group, which accused the government of seizing on mass protests over housing costs to give justification to the explosive issue of building in the holy city.

India. Crisis



► Bharatiya Janata Party Leader Navjot Sidhu shows fake currency notes as he raises slogans along with party activists at a protest against corruption in New Delhi on Thursday.

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Corruption grips India

Screaming matches over corruption have again paralyzed India's parliament, stalling crucial work on its malnutrition crisis and land reforms and deepening concerns over whether anyone is running the world's largest democracy.

Syrian troops kill 11 near Lebanese border

The Syrian army shot dead 11 people in a western town near the Lebanese border on Thursday and stormed a northwestern town near Turkey's border, activists said.

The shooting in the western town of Qusair also wounded many others, according to several Syrian human rights and activists groups.

The town of Saraqeb, near the Turkish border, was attacked in the early morning.

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Pressure mounts

- The U.S. imposed new sanctions on Wednesday, and a flurry of foreign diplomats have rolled through Damascus urging Assad to end a campaign of killing that rights groups say has left about 1,700 dead since mid-March. Turkey's foreign minister, a day after meeting with Assad, on Wednesday renewed his condemnation of the attacks.

Pakistani police hit at blast site

A woman and a teenage girl wearing a suicide vest attacked Pakistani police guarding the scene of an earlier explosion in north-

west Pakistan Thursday, twin strikes that killed five people and broke a relative lull in militant violence in the country.

Islamist extremists with links to al-Qaida have waged a bloody campaign against Pakistan's pro-Western rulers since 2007.

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► Traders work on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange on Thursday. Wall Street's wildest week since 2008 continued with the Dow Jones industrial average gaining 422.84 points to 11,278.90 by day's end.

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Looking up, waaaay up!

Stocks shot up Thursday after investors saw small signs that the economy might not be headed into recession. U.S. unemployment numbers fell last week, and a technology bellwether said revenue could grow faster this quarter than analysts expected.

\$1.6B trade deficit stunts our growth

Canada's trade deficit with the world expanded to \$1.6 billion in June, in a sign of just how slow the economy grew in the second quarter.

The trade deficit for the month, hit by a drop in energy and automotive exports, was up from a \$1-billion deficit in May, Statistics Canada reported Thursday.

"The headwinds facing Canadian exporters have clearly been too much: a persistently strong Canadian dollar, weak U.S. demand, and Japanese supply disruptions, to name a few," TD economist Francis Fong wrote in a note.

Statistics Canada said merchandise exports fell 1.7 per cent in June, while

imports were off 0.2 per cent.

The trade surplus with the U.S. slipped to \$3.6 billion in June from \$3.7 billion in May and the trade deficit with countries grew to a record \$5.2 billion in June from \$4.8 billion in May.

Peter Hall, chief economist for Export and Development Canada, noted disruptions for exports caused by the Japanese earthquake and the tsunami.

"So some of the slowdown in momentum that we're seeing at the moment is not a demand problem, it is a supply problem."

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Greece's jobless rate grows

Greece's Statistical Authority says unemployment in the debt-ridden country jumped to 16.6

per cent in May.

That's up from 12 per cent in the same month last year and 15.8 per cent in April 2011.

The agency said Thursday Greece had 220,534 more unemployed people in May this year compared to May 2010, an increase

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of 36.6 per cent.

The number of jobless stands at 822,719 in the country of about 11 million people.

European leaders agreed last month on a second bailout worth \$155 billion US for Greece, which was granted its

Harper's in on Costa Rica

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Prime Minister Stephen Harper continued his swing through Latin America today, making trade- and security-related announcements in Costa Rica.

Harper announced new agreements on air transportation and the exchange of tax information between the two countries.

He also says Canada will open a new visa application centre in the country in September.

And he announced measures to bolster Costa Rica's police force.

The Canadian and Costa Rican governments are also going back to the negotiating table over their nine-year-old deal on free trade.

The talks are aimed at getting rid of tariffs for agricultural and industrial

goods, and broadening the



► Canadian Prime Minister Stephen Harper walks with the president of Costa Rica, Laura Chinchilla Miranda, in San Jose on Thursday.

agreement to cover areas such as trade in financial

services.

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Harper's route

► Prime Minister Stephen Harper left Ottawa last Sunday for a six-day swing through Latin America.

► His first stop was Brazil, where he aimed to boost trade between the two countries and talk about security in the region.

► Then the prime minister headed to Colombia, a country that Canada signed a free-trade deal with a few years ago.

► From there, he headed to Costa Rica and has a stop in Honduras before returning to Canada.

Housing prices up

Statistics Canada says its new housing price index rose 0.3 per cent in June, after a 0.4 per cent gain in May.

The agency says good market conditions in Toronto pushed up prices and boosted the overall index.

In June, prices remained unchanged from May in 10 of the 21 metropolitan regions surveyed. The most significant drop was in Calgary, where builders offered deals to boost sales.

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Market moment

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Tim's banking on customer loyalty

► CEO unfazed by recession worries ► Says profits up, people still willing to spend money for daily java jolt

Tim Hortons is well positioned to survive tough times as world markets tumble and consumers fret that another recession could be coming, the company's chief executive officer says.

Paul House said the coffee chain has seen no change in spending patterns since a tumble on world stock markets sparked by financial crises in Europe and the U.S.

"I think our business has historically done fairly well through tough times and we continue to see it that way," House told analysts

Thursday, the same day Tim's reported a second-quarter profit of \$95.5 million, up from \$94.1 million the same time last year.

"Things like high gasoline and energy costs that hit the consumer for a share of their wallet are concerning, but



having said that, great loyalty seems to hold the day for us."

Tim Hortons, like other restaurants, has been grappling with the rising price of coffee, wheat and sugar. But House said the company is locked into lower prices from suppliers until at least early next year.

The company raised menu prices by about 4.5 per cent in April to cover rising costs.

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France acts to save credit rating

France banned short-selling on leading bank and insurance stocks Thursday, amid efforts to calm market jitters about the health of French banks and the heavily indebted U.S. and European economies.

The move by France's market regulator, the AMF, capped two days of whip-saw trading that saw French banks' market value fall and rise by billions of euros and threatened the nation's coveted triple-A credit rating. Those efforts appear to have had an effect, but economists said the rebound was shaky.

Eyes on Europe

- Analysts will be paying sharp attention to France's release of second-quarter GDP figures on Friday. Some have warned that France could suffer if it has to spend significant new money to bail out more eurozone countries.
- The leaders of the eurozone's biggest economies, Germany and France, will meet Tuesday to discuss solutions to Europe's financial difficulties.

After markets closed, the AMF placed a 15-day

ban on short-selling of 11 stocks, including those of banks Societe Generale, BNP Paribas, Credit Agricole and leading insurers.

In a short sale, a trader hopes to profit by betting on the decline in the price of a share. The practice has been blamed for adding to market volatility.

Greece banned it Monday and Italy's market regulator, Consob, said it will meet Friday before markets open to decide whether to take measures on short-selling. Belgium and Spain are also considering a ban.

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THE METRO LIST

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1 Mad world: A group of musicians including Eminem and Gaga are shooting a video in support of famine relief in Somalia. In London, hundreds gather in support of iPads and flat-screen TVs.

2 Who's zooming whom?: Canada's largest trading partner now has bad credit, and it reminds me of the time I drove my Altima to co-sign for my brother's new Porsche. Hey Stephen Harper, now might be a good time to buy Hawaii.

3 Sports metaphor: The NBA has locked players out pending revisions to the collective bargaining agreement, but their leverage is dwindling as stars like Kobe and LeBron consider playing in China. And they say life imitates art? Let's just hope they get paid in yen.

4 That's the spirit: It's Spirit Week in Winnipeg, and commuters get to ride the "Spirit buses" for free, explore the city's core, and see live musical performances. Consequently, a ride on Toronto transit is just as fun. Last week, I saw a guy talk to himself in two languages he didn't understand, a lady who believed she controlled the subway doors with her mind and a Jerry Garcia-looking dude playing air violin. Now *that's* entertainment!

5 Hospital-ity: A story in the Montreal Gazette pronounced that Canadians live longer and healthier lives than Americans, while paying less for health care. I have always maintained that it is cheaper to be insulted by frustrated, underpaid nurses in Canada than just about anywhere.

6 Johnny's Drama: The final season of Entourage is underway, and rumour has it they're taking their antics to the big screen. Executive producer Mark Wahlberg says he's even willing to fund it himself, which makes me think, "I'd really like to be friends with Mark Wahlberg."

7 Boob tube: This week began a new season of Bachelor Pad, proving that there is always an audience for lowliness. The 20 minutes I did watch took me through a range of emotions from shame to melancholy, but ultimately left me feeling much better about myself. Maybe they're on to something.

8 Clap on. Clap off: The B.C. government developed a website, InSpot.org, that lets promiscuous citizens send anonymous emails telling sexual partners that they have been exposed to an STI. They're keeping it simple for now, but eventually they will have creative greetings like, "I know you're a vegetarian. Sorry about the crabs," or "Merry Christmas. This card entitles you to 15 per cent off antibiotics." With news like this, the jokes just write themselves.

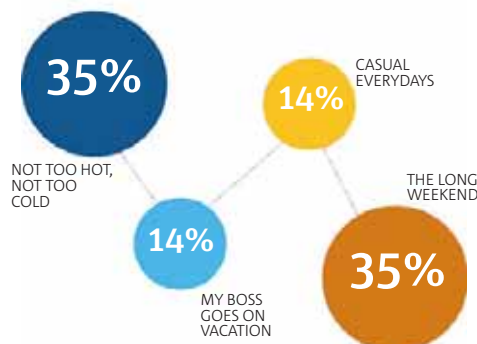
9 Money for nothin': This year's Teen Choice Awards were like a remix of Duck Sauce's Barbara Streisand song. The same names uttered repeatedly to a beat like, "Boom, Boom ... Justin Bieber. Boom, Boom ... Taylor Swift. Boom, Boom ... Selena Gomez." The Situation was upset he lost the award for male reality star to friend Pauly D. Why is this even a category? You acquire outrageous fortune with no talent and less than half a brain, and we should give you an award?

More from Mike Benhaim at metronews.ca/backbeat



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What's the best thing about August?



Local tweets



► @gpjoa: The media coverage concerning Sesame Street's Bert and Ernie is a little much. They are puppets portraying roommates like The Odd Couple.

► @kathleenogrady: Cause yet anyone? RT @mhellstern: did anyone else in the Byward Market just hear a huge crash/bang/boom? #ottawa #weird #Ottcity

► @PowerForeword: Not even #Hoedown is immune to popped collars.

► @ReganMathurin: Lots of drunken staggering at the Hoedown. I shudder to think what's gonna happen when Kenny starts singing about clothes comin' off. #ch2011

► @katiegibbs: in case anyone has been looking, Herb and Spice on Bank St is now carrying @SweetandSara marshmallows (regular and mini)! #Vegan #Ottawa

► @meghan_hurley: That makes three Sesame Street characters in the news today. Petition urges Bert and Ernie to wed

Worth Mentioning

SHOELESS. The young Washington state man dubbed the Barefoot Bandit after a cross-country crime spree brought him folk outlaw status has reportedly signed a movie deal worth as much as \$1.3 million US with 20th Century Fox.

The Daily Herald reports that the money will be used to help pay the minimum \$1.4 million US that 20-year-old Colton Harris-Moore owes in restitution to the victims of his two-year-long crime spree.

Harris-Moore's multi-state crime spree earned him international attention. He stole five planes, more than a dozen cars, several boats and broke into homes and businesses. He was arrested July 11, 2010 on a stolen boat in the Bahamas.

Seattle entertainment lawyer Lance Rosen negotiated the deal on Harris-Moore's behalf. He says it's an unusual amount of money to be paid for anyone's life story rights.

Harris-Moore pleaded guilty in June to seven federal felony charges. Sentencing is set for October. He still faces state court charges.

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WEIRD NEWS

Urine and you're out

A famed Austrian museum has fired an employee for washing his hands and face with his urine.

Alfred Zoppelt says he was fired after 23 years of working as an attendant at the Belvedere, a castle in Vienna with major art works. He says his adherence to urine therapy was previously "never a problem."

Zoppelt, 57, said Thursday his notice from Belvedere says he was fired because "you regular-

ly rub urine into your skin, particularly the face and hands. With this, you soil your place of work ... and threaten the health of your co-workers."

A woman answering the Belvedere press department phone confirmed that Zoppelt was fired but refused to give her name or further information.

Believers in urine therapy claim medical and cosmetic benefits but these have not been proven.

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Plot synopsis

Very loosely based on a strange Erie, Penn., bank robbery, the story involves a slacker pizza delivery boy (Jesse Eisenberg) who is kidnapped by two moronic criminals (Danny McBride and Nick Swardson). They strap a bomb to his chest and order him to rob a bank or, in 10 hours, everything will go boom.

Ratings:
Richard: ●●●●½
Mark: ●●●●

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► Jesse Eisenberg, right, and Aziz Ansari star in 30 Minutes or Less.

A raunchy good time

- 30 Minutes or Less offers an unexpectedly fun mix of action and humour
- This low-rent film won't win an Oscar, but it's guaranteed to entertain

Richard: There's nothing genteel about 30 Minutes or Less. The presence of Danny McBride assures that.

If you don't like his brand of foulmouthed, anything-goes humour, then you'll find very little to like here. But, if McBride turns your crank, you'll find much to like here.

Mark: I am no fan of Danny McBride. He's always playing the same loutish character in every movie. But he worked for me here, probably because the tight script gave him so little wriggle

room. On the other hand, I am a fan of Aziz Ansari, and for me he's the standout character in the film, with great and subtle line readings. Jesse Eisenberg? Let's just say he probably won't be nominated for an Oscar for this one.

RC: He may not get nominated for this one, but he does get a good Facebook jab in there. Good to see he can have a sense of humour about The Social Network, the biggest success so far. I have to agree with you about Ansari. He's a manic ball of energy here, and while I thought

he might be too much in the beginning, by the end I was glad he was there. The other thing this movie has going for it is the pace. It moves like a rocket. The 90 minutes really does feel like 30 minutes, or less!

MB: I know. I ordered a pizza when the movie started, but it was over before it even arrived! I applaud the producers for knowing that the film is flimsy and ensuring that it doesn't overstay its welcome. We've seen this plot done as a thriller; as a comedy it's not going to be as gripping. But I thought its low-

rent setting and general shabbiness fit with the rest of the movie. No one will be talking about the cinematography or costume design, will they?

RC: No they won't, but they will be talking about what a raunchy good time they had at the movies, and I think that is the goal of this kind of movie. It's Like the spiritual cousin to Eisenberg's Zombieland, an unexpectedly fun mix of action and humour.

MB: So it's a movie that aims low, and exceeds expectations!

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Scene in brief



When Top Gun was released 25 years ago, Kelly McGillis says she was constantly confronted by fans crooning You've Lost That Lovin' Feelin', the song Tom Cruise serenades her with in the hit film. "I couldn't go anywhere without people looking at me and singing to me," McGillis recalls.

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'I'm a fighter, what can I say?'

► Conan star Rose McGowan is 103 pounds of 'you're gonna die'

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In *Conan the Barbarian*, Rose McGowan ditches her usual glam look to portray Marique, a slithering, blade-wielding sorceress out to help her father (Stephen Lang) raise the dead and take over the world.

The part called for hours in the makeup chair and plenty of swordplay — not that McGowan is complaining, mind you.

Metro sat down with the always outspoken actress to chat about risking injury on set, the future of the *Red Sonja* remake and fighting above her weight class.

In *Conan the Barbarian*, you get to play with some pretty fun weapons.

That's fun, great fun. I think just as a girl I'm so consistently underestimated, especially because I weigh, like, 103 pounds. People treat you like you're this little doll. I'm like, my brain — which I think is why I'm always so injured — is not in line with what my body is like. So I'm like Scrappy Doo out there, fighting the big guys, which is why I always wind up getting hurt, because I have this unfortunately delicate frame.

With you being in *Conan*, does this mean you can't be *Red Sonja*?



► Khalar Zym (Stephen Lang) and Marique (Rose McGowan) in *Conan the Barbarian*.

I can't do that based on my injury. It's not worth it. It's not worth paralysis — being that I was paralyzed in my right arm from a stunt gone wrong.

I had three surgeries in my wrist, three in my elbow, part of the elbow bone out. There's points where you're like, 'OK,

there are real-life situations and there are movie situations.'

And I've done things on film to save a shot. There was a huge camera up on a crane — this was on *Death Proof* — and it was supposed to swing its arm, and out of the corner of my eye I saw it just falling,

just swooping really fast. I should've just ducked out of the way, but I didn't want to ruin the shot, so I just turned my head to side and just laughed. And it literally just whipped through my hair. It would've probably decapitated me.

And also on *Death Proof*, I didn't want a double to do all the face slamming against the window, so that was all me. I almost shattered my cheekbone. But it looked cool!

Might I suggest you should do some dramas instead?

I just did one! Although actually I got the crap beaten out of me for about two weeks straight by my husband in the movie, now that I think about it.

It was hard not going, 'I'm going to kick your ass now,' because I'm used to that instead of just taking it like a mouse.

So does the injury mean you're looking for fewer genre roles?

I will always. I'm a fighter, what can I say? And it's also just great fun. I love flying on wires and things being blown up around me and things lighting on fire. That's the fun part of what I do. I don't have to sit behind a desk. 'What did you do at work today?'

'Well... I flew over a 30-foot wall with a giant mushroom cloud explosion behind me. Half my hair burned off, but it looked fantastic!'



► Anne Hathaway stars in *One Day*.

Hathaway no shoe-in for role in new film

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It goes to show that it doesn't matter if you're an Academy Award nominated actress and accomplished thespian, confidence can be a struggle for anyone.

Anne Hathaway isn't shy about admitting this. "We're all a mixture of arrogance and insecurity," she says of actors.

"I'm actually not a terribly confident person, I'm just professional."

Hathaway also readily admits that she was initially rebuffed by director Lone Scherfig when lobbying for the part of Emma Morley in the adaptation of David Nicholls' beloved book, *One Day*.

It depicts the lives of two friends on one day, July 15, of every year for 20 years.

Since the characters happen to be British, Hathaway, who is very distinctly all-American, wasn't having an easy time of

it. "It became a full-frontal assault to get the part," Hathaway says.

"I was sitting in a club in London trying to explain to Lone why I ought to play Emma Morley and failing miserably. It was the worst meeting I ever had."

But nonetheless, Hathaway won Scherfig over and embarked on exploring the lives of the two characters, who share a sexual tension along with a close bond of friendship.

Can a straight man and a straight woman be friends?

She seems to think so. "Yeah, sometimes there's tension but it needn't get in the way of the relationship," she says.

"But I'm not the person to answer this question. I've been in a rock solid relationship for three years and I'm a one man woman so I don't really look at other men that way. I'm terribly boring and loyal and true blue and all that."

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Glee: The 3D Concert Movie

Genre: Documentary

Director: Kevin Tancharoen

Stars: Cory Monteith, Dianna Agron, Lea Michele

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Glee: The 3D Concert Movie literally sings to the choir. If there ever was a movie made for

fans, this is it. A concert film, with real life fan testimonials tucked in between the pop songs and show tunes, the music loses most of its context when there isn't a story-line to play off of. What's left is essentially karaoke with some nifty dance moves thrown in for good

measure. Highlights include Lea Michele warbling through a Barbara Streisand tune; but when Mark Salling sings Fat Bottom Girls it doesn't sound so much like a Queen classic as it does the squealing death of rock and roll.

● RICHARD CROUSE



Final Destination 5

Genre: Horror/Thriller

Director: Steve Quale

Stars: Nicholas D'Agosto, Emma Bell, Arlen Escarpeta

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There's something delightfully straightforward about the Final Destination franchise, a series that knows what it is and doesn't pretend to be anything else. It

also knows why you're here: to see a group of witless young adults miraculously cheat death, only to have it catch up with them one by one in ever-more complex ways.

The biggest surprise is that, five films in, the franchise is actually at its best, managing to work in macabre laughs and a

clever twist that rewards eagle-eyed viewers. But what about those infamous death scenes? Some are more elaborate than others, but all are executed with delicious tension and teasing.

Let's just say you'll never watch a gymnastics contest the same way.

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Empowered women vs. unmanly men

► ABC's fall lineup pits speaks volumes about evolving gender roles ► What's going on with this identity crisis?



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"We are known for creating storytelling with empowered women," ABC Entertainment Group President Paul Lee said of his network at the Television Critics Association press tour recently.

He cited hits *Desperate Housewives* and *Grey's Anatomy* as examples — along with new additions to the ABC schedule, *Charlie's Angels*, a remake about the famous trio of butt-kicking women, and *Pan Am*, following flight attendants in the 1960s.

Yet ABC's fall schedule also includes the new comedies *Man Up!* and *Last Man Standing*, series that both attempt to address a perceived demasculinization of the American male.

So what gives? Why is the dissection of gender roles at the forefront of the network's lineup?

"It's the job of television, and has been since we started, to look at the plight of men, to look at the plight of women. And I think we look at it in very different ways," Lee insists.

"It's our job to create television that questions how people feel in the world."

Breaking down identity crisis: Here's what the cast and creators of ABC's new "empowered women" and "unmanly men" shows have to say about the message of their series:

'Pioneers in a lot of ways'

Pan Am

"[Pan Am stewardess] was a coveted position at the time for young women," says series creator Jack Orman.

"They needed to be college educated. They needed to speak several languages, and they were really pioneers in a lot of ways."

At the same time, a certain attractiveness was also part of the job.

"The idea that they have to be subjected to girdle checks and weigh-ins I think adds a certain realism but also an interesting, dramatic twist to the show," Orman adds.

Up, up and away

► Pan Am premieres Sept. 25 on CTV



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► Charlie's Angels
premieres Sept. 22 on CTV.

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Charlie's Angels

ABC isn't downplaying the sexy chicks with guns thing in their reboot of *Charlie's Angels*, but they're also trying to make the show more about the characters' backstories and camaraderie as a team.

"Thing about 'Charlie's Angels' is ... obviously, they're beautiful. They're sexy. They have all of those qualities," series creator Al Gough says of his cast, including Minka Kelly, Rachael Taylor and Annie Ilonczeh. "But they also have to be warm and relatable," he explains.



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Last Man Standing

Tim Allen has taken *Home Improvement* and tweaked it, starring as the father of three daughters who works at a sporting goods company and is distraught that he is "the last real man in a woman's world."

So how does Allen define a manly man? "Men need stuff to do. You have to have hobbies, and you should be able to fix stuff," he says. "The women in my life like cooking. They like cooking for their men. And the men in my life like futzing around the house and being able to take care of a home."

► Check out Last Man
Standing Oct. 11 on Citytv



Man Up! (Premieres Oct. 18 on CTV)

Why is modern man soft? Blame war, says the show's creative team. "We are a generation that has a war, and we are just fortunate enough to have the luxury of other people volunteering and [fighting] for us so we can make a show about the silly antics of three guys in Ohio," says executive producer Christopher Moynihan.

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Spartacus is back — and with a Vengeance

► Producer of Starz originally dismissed Liam McIntyre for role because 'he was so skinny' ► After months of exercise, this Aussie is gladiator-ready



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There's a new Spartacus coming to television and the latest fierce Thracian gladiator is actually an Australian.

Currently filming its third season, the popular Starz series was sidetracked after its original star Andy Whitfield was forced to back out due to health issues.

"We cast a wide net; we looked all over the world and we found Liam McIntyre," said show creator Steven S. DeKnight of his

"It's heaps more demanding than when I would've expected. Constantly every episode that I've been on is like 'you want me to do what?'"

ACTOR LIAM MCINTYRE, ON
PLAYING SPARTACUS

new star recently in Los Angeles. "I remember seeing his first audition, he was so skinny I immediately dismissed him because I didn't know he'd lost so much

weight for a previous role but we kept coming back to him — he just had those qualities we needed."

As such DeKnight put his star on a "three-month exercise retainer" and watched him fill out into the part of Spartacus — a hefty role that the actor does not take lightly.

"It's obviously a big job," admitted McIntyre. "You know how much it means to the fans because I was one before this happened. So all I can do is work really, really hard... attack this as hard as you possibly can because you want to do a

good show because you love it yourself."

Spartacus: Vengeance debuts in January on The Movie Network but McIntyre has a lot of work in the coming months. Filming the gritty, violent series has definitely proven a workout for the Aussie actor.

"It's heaps more demanding than when I would've expected. Constantly every episode that I've been on is like 'you want me to do what?'" laughed McIntyre. "I look back at some of the stuff and think, that is just mind-blowing."



► Some like it hot: Actor Liam McIntyre speaks during the Spartacus: Vengeance panel during the Starz portion of the 2011 Summer TCA Tour in Beverly Hills, California last month.

Coming this fall: Time warps, snark and sci-fi



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Two new comedies are using Brooklyn as both backdrop and character: The more serious-minded I Just Want My Pants Back and multi-cam sitcom 2 Broke Girls.

Executive producer Doug Liman says Pants captures the "artistry" right now in Brooklyn, while Girls is more of a female

buddy-comedy poking fun of slacker trust-fund kids.

Less New York and more sweet is New Girl. The crew behind this comedy refers to their lead as "adorable" rather than cool, but c'mon — it stars Zooey Deschanel.

Meanwhile, Up All Night shows what happens when the cool kids grow up — and get knocked up.

Will Arnett and Christina Applegate star as parents struggling to balance a new baby and their old

Life in 2149

Terra Nova sends Earthlings in the year 2149 back to primeval times in an effort to save civilization.

► The good news: Dinosaurs! The bad: Pedestrian acting and writing.

lifestyle.

Like Mad Men before them, three new dramas look to the 1950s/1960s for



► 2 Broke Girls airs on Citytv this fall

inspiration: The Hour, The Playboy Club and Pan Am.

All three are gorgeously produced with obvious attention to detail in wardrobe and set design, but only The Hour and Pan Am offer the same promise in storytelling.

TV picks



Exciting times on Torchwood

MIRACLE DAY. We're over the hump in the 10-episode run of Torchwood: Miracle Day, and time is running out for our heroes. With the rest of his team trapped on different continents, Jack has no choice but to

go straight to the heart of the conspiracy in Saturday's new episode. (Space)

A different Valentine's

FLASHPOINT. Friday's new episode of Flashpoint promises drama. A new recruit (Cle Bennett of Barney's Version) joins the team on one of the toughest days of the year for hostage situations and suicides — Valentine's Day. Clearly, at least a few people forgot to go to the florist. (CTV)

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Ramsay: A bad boy no more?

► Celebrity chef Gordon Ramsay tired of persona that made him famous

The man who put the "F" in food says he's tired of being recognized only as the bad boy of haute cuisine.

"I don't get judged enough for what I put on a plate," said a soft-spoken Gordon Ramsay, using none of the scorching profanity that so often reduces his TV tirades to a series of bleeps.

"I get judged more, I suppose, as a persona from TV, which is a pain in the butt, to be honest," he said on the eve of yesterday's opening of his first restaurant in Canada.

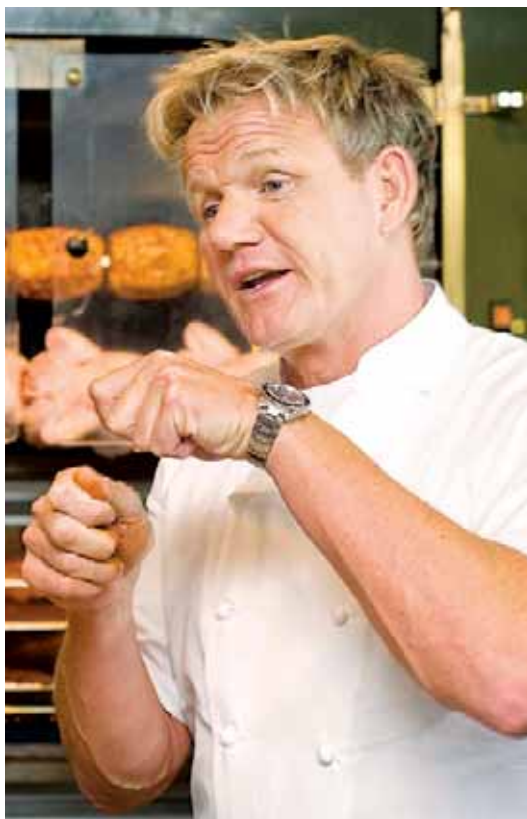
"I have three Michelin stars, which was my first-ever ambition in cooking. Today's media, it has its good parts and its bad parts but judge me on the plate, not me on the TV."

The Scottish-born Ramsay's Montreal restaurant, has been a local favourite since 1936 when it opened as Rotisserie Laurier BBQ.

Its now got a new name: the Laurier Gordon Ramsay. "Montreal in many ways chose me," he said, comparing Montreal to Paris.

"I fell in love with the place literally five years ago."

He had come to Quebec to shoot a documentary on wild geese and found "a



stunning foodie culture evolving here."

Ramsay, who has a reputation for putting flagging restaurants back on their

feet, acknowledged he felt like he'd been taken to a retirement home when he was brought to Rotisserie Laurier BBQ for lunch two

Ramsay's eatery

Here's what you need to know about Gordon Ramsay's new Montreal restaurant.

► Head chef

Guillermo Russo is a Montreal native who has worked at such eateries as Toronto's Black Hoof and Lucien and Ottawa's Aroma.

► Renovations

The eatery is housed in a two-storey dining hall that's been given a newer, brighter and cleaner look.

► Cuisine

The staple comfort foods like chicken and ribs and steak familiar to several generations of customers are still on the menu.

years ago.

"Businesses don't survive on nostalgia," he noted, saying he's confident old customers as well as new clients will be thrilled with what he's done.

"Good comfort, done with a twist," was how Ramsay described the establishment's offerings.

While Ramsay says he's just as excited opening his Montreal restaurant as he

was opening his first eateries in London and Paris, he isn't looking at setting up in any other Canadian cities just yet.

"I'm a control freak so I want to get this one right

first, focus on this one, silence the critics, let them know we haven't damaged their goods," he said.

"Judge the food, don't judge me."

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Trusting his gut and finding The Voice



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Before he became famous for his voice this year, Javier Colon relied on another body part to guide him: his gut.

"The Voice came along and I almost didn't do that," he says. "It was kind of a last-minute decision to audition."

Colon, 33, was crowned the first winner of the NBC talent competition in June and learned to continue following that instinct. His audition performance of Time After Time became an instant highlight of the show's freshman season.

"I just wanted somebody to turn around. I would have been happy with any of them," he says. "If I had the option to choose from



► Javier Colon

several coaches, I wanted to go on a gut feeling."

Colon impressed all four celebrity mentors, most notably, his choice, Maroon 5 frontman Adam Levine.

"I really wanted to go with someone who thought

I'd be an asset to their team, and Adam was so animated and enthusiastic. He just made it very clear he wanted me."

Before the show, Colon released two albums with Capitol Records before being dropped in 2006. His previous work was more R&B based, and he hopes to do music he's more passionate about, with a pop singer-songwriter feel, like James Taylor.

"I try to write songs that move people emotionally as opposed to just physically. I like to tell stories," he says.

He plans to have an album out in November, to keep himself fresh in the public's mind.

Until then, he will tour with seven other contestants to perform songs from the competition.

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Working together on and off screen

► **Downton Abbey stars Elizabeth McGovern, Michelle Dockery connecting**

There are secret romances, wars and endless backstabbing on *Downton Abbey*, the British TV series that follows the lives of the aristocratic Grantham family and their servants in the early 20th century.

But off-screen, there is music.

Elizabeth McGovern and Michelle Dockery, who co-star in the Emmy-nominated drama, are collaborating musically, and Dockery is hoping to sing on McGovern's next project with her folk rock band, Sadie and the Hot-heads.

"She asked me to sing in



► Michelle Dockery is trying out her musical chops.

the band and I'm hoping to be more involved in the second album that she's bringing out," Dockery says.

The band, which features McGovern on vocals and acoustic guitar, released their debut album, *I Can Wait*, in 2007. Dock-

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Awards

Who they are and what awards they've been nominated for

► **Nominations** Dockery stars as McGovern's eldest daughter, Lady Mary Crawley, on the hit PBS Masterpiece series, which is nominated for 11 Emmy Awards, including one for outstanding miniseries or movie.

ery, who has sung jazz, has performed backup with the group.

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► Even Kanye West's collaboration with Jay-Z couldn't save the summer

No, you're not imagining things. This has been a dry summer for big releases. Just wander into any record store and you'll see the same CDs in the "new release" section week after week.

Oh, sure there's new product every Monday (in the U.K.) and Tuesday (in North America), but since early June, almost everything has come from new or niche-y acts. There have been some exceptions, of course (Beyoncé, *Bad Meets Evil*, the Kanye/Jay-Z project, a Coldplay single) but for the most part, this summer has been a dead zone, like a lake choked off by algae.

My record weasel friends confided in me as far back as March that their companies had nothing in the

edition re-release of Arcade Fire's *The Suburbs*. Instead, stores are left pushing Adele's *21*, which helps explain why it's spent most of the year at number one on both sides of the border. Other stores are stocking up on Amy Winehouse CDs. In past decades, sales of disposable summery Top 40 hits would have picked up the slack, but a quick glance at the radio airplay and physical singles sales charts reveals little correlation. Instead, LMFAO and Pitbull are selling lots of low-margin digital copies. In other words, this summer has been to music what January and February are to the movie

studios: big pushes on old releases while simultaneously releasing whatever non-superstar material that's in the warehouse.

What to do? If you have the time/cash, you can take some chances.

The *Horrors Skyline* Out (which came out this week) is very good. I'm very much into the *Washed Out* album *With and Without*. And if you've yet to buy the new *Death Cab for Cutie*, think about it.

If you'd rather wait, the Christmas shopping season starts on the 30th with releases from the Red Hot Chili Peppers and Lenny Kravitz. And September — with new CDs from Mary J. Blige, *Lady Antebellum* and *Jane's Addiction* — looks promising.

pipeline. Paralyzed by industry issues (the sale of Warner Music Group, the uncertainty surrounding EMI, dropping revenues everywhere), everyone was afraid to commit to, well, almost anything. Best focus on getting Beyoncé's *4* in as many iPods as possible. And another single from Mumford & Sons? Sure!

Bricks-and-mortar music retailers have been left with precious little to promote. It's hard to get anyone really excited about, say, a deluxe

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Hudson praising her mother for parenting

► A recent mother herself, Kate feels thankful for Goldie

Kate Hudson says she's aspiring to be like her own parents when it comes to raising her kids.

"My parents allowed my brother and I to have our freedom," she tells Elle magazine. "(We could) be ourselves and feel confident in our choices and make mistakes without too much judgment."

Hudson hopes she "can do as good of a job" as her mom, Goldie Hawn, who "never hands out unsolicited preachy words of wisdom," she says.

And despite having a newborn at home, Hudson isn't slowly down.

"I would never want to be with someone who complains and goes, 'Oh, my God, my life is so crazy,'" she says. "If you make the best of it, it can be amazing."

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"(We could) be ourselves and feel confident in our choices and make mistakes without too much judgment"

KATE HUDSON



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► Ashton Kutcher

Kutcher highest paid TV actor

After joining *Two and a Half Men*, Ashton Kutcher has become the highest paid actor on television, pulling in \$700,000 an episode for the half-hour comedy, according to TV Guide.

Charlie Sheen used to hold that title before getting fired from the same sitcom, where he made \$1.2 million an episode.

"There is great value in hiring an actor like Ashton Kutcher," CBS head Nina Tassler says. ● METRO



Anthony not over Lopez

Jennifer Lopez reunited with estranged husband Marc Anthony this week in the Hamptons, according to TMZ.

The pair were spotted riding in the back of a red convertible in Southampton, N.Y., where Anthony was visiting to see his children, his rep explains. And he's reportedly not taking their divorce well.

"His mood shifts from blaming her to begging her to take him back to telling her she is destroying his life," a source tells Us Weekly. ● METRO

Talking points

American Idol cast remains unchanged

JUST RUMORS. It looks like there won't be any shakeups this year for *American Idol*, as Jennifer Lopez, Steven Tyler, Randy Jackson and Ryan Seacrest have all reportedly inked deals to return.

"I am delighted to say that all three judges, along with the brilliant host of *American Idol*, are back for the next season," executive producer Nigel Lythgoe said in a

radio interview with Seacrest. Lopez had reportedly been "on the fence" earlier this summer about returning to the reality competition.

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Davis prepares to adopt child

EXPECTING. It's a big week for Viola Davis. Not only is she earning rave reviews for her role in *The Help*, but she and husband Julius Tennon are starting a family.

"We're about to adopt a baby," Davis tells to E! News.

The baby will be the couple's first child together, while Tennon has two children from previous relationships.

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Glee star now wary of tabloids

PRESS Glee star Dianna Agron already has one headline-friendly past relationship — with ex Alex Pettyfer — under her belt, but she's planning to keep her future affairs out of the tabloids.

Celebrity tweets



"I surfed in Hawaii for a month and only showered twice!!! I'm not gonna lie, I smelled!!!"

@jtimberlake



@denisleary

"I love my wife deeply and forever but I do have to say: Jennifer Aniston Jennifer Aniston."

@kirstiealley

"Why would you think rumors are true when even people you know well, will on occasion, lie to your face?...Don't gossip it's just insidious"



@jerryseinfeld

"Comedy is just complaining in an entertaining way. Entertaining."

"It's really sad looking at people like Lindsay Lohan," Agron says in an interview with *Cosmopolitan* magazine.

"She's an amazing actress, but you

see what happens when people know too much about your personal life. They start not being able to look at you the same way professionally. I don't want that to happen to me."

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Lobster: Little crustacean, big taste

► Impress family and friends at your next backyard get-together with delicious barbecued lobster ► It's healthier than some meat options



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► Lobster is a healthy option as it contains less cholesterol and calories than meat.

You can impress your friends and family this summer with this delicious and healthy barbecued lobster recipe.

In fact, lobster is an appetizing and very nutritious barbecue option as it contains less cholesterol, calories, and saturated fats than typical grilling choices such as lean beef, pork, and chicken.

This fun summer recipe from Halifax's Clearwater Seafoods, one of the

world's leading seafood companies, is an ideal choice for your next backyard get together.

Barbecued Lobster with Red Pepper and Lime Butter

Preparation:

1 Bring large pot of salted water to a boil; plunge in lobsters for 4-6 minutes to blanch. Remove and cool lobsters until you can handle them.

Cut in half, lengthwise, remove viscera, and crack claws.

2 Preheat oven to 425 F. Brush red pepper with oil, place on a baking sheet and roast for 15 minutes, turning several times. Remove from oven and cool. Carefully peel off pepper skin, remove seeds and chop pepper. Place softened butter, red pepper, zest and juice from limes in a

blender and process until smooth. Season with salt, pepper and cayenne. Set aside at room temperature.

3 Prepare marinade by combining olive oil, garlic, lemon juice, chives, coriander and black pepper. Rub thoroughly over lobster and let stand 20 minutes. Barbecue lobster flesh—side down on a hot grill until golden. Turn, brush flesh with red pepper butter and cook, shell side down for another 8 minutes. Allow the lobster to rest on warm plates, top with remaining red pepper butter. **NEWS CANADA**

Ingredients:

- 4 Clearwater lobsters
- 1 Red bell pepper, peeled and seeded
- 2 tbsp oil
- 1 cup butter, softened
- 2 limes, juice and zest to taste
- Salt and pepper
- pinch Cayenne pepper
- 2 garlic cloves, chopped
- 1 lemon, juices
- 1 ¼ cup fresh chives and coriander, chopped
- Ground black pepper, coarse
- Lemon wedges as garnish

A barbecue wine lesson

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Even though I treated my barbecue with kid mitts, last weekend saw the passing of my five-year-old gas fired girl. Sadly, modern grills seem to have the staying power of a Jennifer Lopez marriage so I had to say hello to a new back deck addition.

I like nothing better than a nicely prepared burger so a plethora of patties was the best way to christen my latest investment. It was also a great opportunity to experiment with a barbecue-ready wine.

The Rhone Valley is the home of the syrah grape (a.k.a. shiraz) to the north and the grenache grape to the south. Those reds labelled Côtes du Rhône come from vineyards throughout and are often a blend of both.

Ogier's 2009 Héritages Côtes du Rhône (\$14.95 - \$17.99) is a well-balanced combo of ripe, black fruit (from the grenache) and subtle pepper spice (thanks to the syrah), which makes it a perfect grilling wine with enough fruit to work nicely with milder sauces, marinades and a cornucopia of condiments. **PRICES REFLECT THE RANGE ACROSS CANADA. SOME PRODUCTS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE IN ALL PROVINCES.**

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Store lobster

Clearwater Lobster is the most sought after lobster in the world. One of the great things is that it stores easily.

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"I really didn't play the game to be in the Hall of Fame. That wasn't my job. My job was to go out there and win ballgames, have a good time and take care of my family."

DENNIS RODMAN IN SPRINGFIELD, MASS., THURSDAY. THE FIVE-TIME NBA CHAMPION WILL BE ENSHRINED INTO THE NAISMITH MEMORIAL HALL OF FAME ON FRIDAY.



► Maria Sharapova reacts after missing a shot against Galina Voskoboeva on Thursday.

Voskoboeva solves problem of Maria

► World No. 5 stunned as top seeds continue to fall at Rogers Cup in Toronto

In a season full of talk about parity in women's tennis, unheralded Galina Voskoboeva became the latest to step up and prove that point Thursday.

The 26-year-old from Kazakhstan, ranked 135th in the world, dispatched No. 5 Maria Sharapova 6-3, 7-5, on a day that not only marked the ousting of one of the sport's biggest stars, but the ejection of a couple of newly minted Grand Slam champs.

Voskoboeva beat the Russian veteran with lovely drop shots and had Sharapova chasing balls back to



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"I felt like a junior on the court. ... At the beginning of the match, I didn't even know what I should do on the court." NO. 6 SEED LI NA

the baseline all game long. Sharapova became the latest casualty of the Rogers Cup women's draw, which has seen 11 of the 16 seeds bow out.

"It makes for an exciting story because at the end of the day it doesn't matter what you're ranked or seed-

ed, the reason we go out and play the matches is to know who's going to be the winner on that day," said Sharapova, who has 23 career singles titles.

French Open champion Li Na was also knocked out of action with a 6-2, 6-4 loss to No. 10 seed Samantha

Stosur of Australia. And No. 11 Andrea Petkovic of Germany joined Stosur in the quarter-finals after cruising past seventh-seeded Petra Kvitova of the Czech Republic 6-1, 6-2. Kvitova won Wimbledon last month.

Thursday's loss of star power came a day after No. 1 Caroline Wozniacki was ousted. Also gone: Second-seeded Kim Clijsters, who withdrew earlier this week due to an abdominal injury, former world No. 1 Jelena Jankovic and No. 9 seed Marion Bartoli, who were dispatched in their opening matches. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Djokovic through to quarters in Montreal

Novak Djokovic kept his sizzling season ablaze Thursday, downing Marin Cilic 7-5, 6-3 to reach the men's quarter-finals of the Rogers Cup.

The top-seeded Serb, in his second match since taking over the world No. 1 ranking, broke the lanky Cilic's heavy serve twice in the second set. His record improved to 50-1 this year and 26-0 on hard courts.

The 24-year-old Djokovic is seeking his ninth tournament win of the season.

Seventh-seeded Tomas Berdych also advanced with a 6-3, 7-6 (2) victory over Ivo Karlovic of Croatia in a battle of hard-serving giants. Berdych is six foot five while Karlovic is six foot 10.

Berdych evened his career mark against Karlovic at 2-2, but it was their first meeting in three years.

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► Novak Djokovic



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EAST DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	72	44	.621	—
New York	71	45	.612	1
Tampa Bay	63	54	.538	9½
Toronto	59	58	.504	13½
Baltimore	45	70	.391	26½

CENTRAL DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Detroit	61	55	.526	—
Cleveland	58	56	.509	2
Chicago	58	59	.496	3½
Minnesota	52	65	.444	9½
Kansas City	49	69	.415	13

WEST DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	66	52	.559	—
Los Angeles	64	54	.542	2
Oakland	53	64	.453	12½
Seattle	50	66	.431	15

Last night's results

Tampa Bay 4, Kansas City 1

Oakland 10, Toronto 3

N.Y. Yankees 6, L.A. Angels 5

Chicago White Sox 6, Baltimore 3

Detroit at Cleveland

Wednesday's results

Baltimore 6, Chicago White Sox 4, 10 innings

Cleveland 10, Detroit 3

N.Y. Yankees 9, L.A. Angels 3

Toronto 8, Oakland 4

Tampa Bay 8, Kansas City 7

Seattle 4, Texas 3

Minnesota 5, Boston 2

Tonight's games

Detroit (Penny 7-9) at Baltimore (Simon 3-5),

7:05 p.m.

Minnesota (Pavano 6-9) at Cleveland (Master-

son 9-7), 7:05 p.m.

Tampa Bay (Price 9-10) at N.Y. Yankees

(Sabathia 16-6), 7:05 p.m.

L.A. Angels (E.Santana 8-8) at Toronto (Mor-

row 8-6), 7:07 p.m.

Kansas City (Chen 6-5) at Chicago White Sox

(Z.Stewart 1-1), 8:10 p.m.

Texas (C.Wilson 10-5) at Oakland (McCarthy

5-5), 10:05 p.m.

Boston (Lackey 10-8) at Seattle (Beavan 3-2),

10:10 p.m.

Tomorrow's games

L.A. Angels at Toronto, 1:07 p.m.

Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees, 4:10 p.m.

Texas at Oakland, 4:10 p.m.

Detroit at Baltimore, 7:05 p.m.

Minnesota at Cleveland, 7:05 p.m.

Kansas City at Chicago White Sox, 7:10 p.m.

Boston at Seattle, 10:10 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Philadelphia	77	40	.658	—
Atlanta	69	49	.585	8½
New York	58	59	.496	19
Washington	56	61	.479	21
Central	55	62	.470	22

CENTRAL DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Milwaukee	67	50	.573	—
St. Louis	62	55	.530	5
Cincinnati	57	61	.483	10½
Pittsburgh	56	60	.483	10½
Chicago	51	67	.432	16½
Houston	38	79	.325	29

WEST DIVISION				
	W	L	Pct	GB
Arizona	64	53	.547	—
San Francisco	64	54	.542	½
Colorado	55	64	.462	10
Los Angeles	52	64	.448	11½
San Diego	53	66	.445	12

Last night's results

San Diego 3, N.Y. Mets 2

Cincinnati 2, Colorado 1

Chicago Cubs 4, Washington 3

Milwaukee 6, St. Louis

Houston at Arizona

Wednesday's results

Philadelphia 9, L.A. Dodgers 8

Pittsburgh 9, San Francisco 2

Atlanta 6, Florida 2

Cincinnati 3, Colorado 2

San Diego 9, N.Y. Mets 5

Chicago Cubs 4, Washington 2

Milwaukee 5, St. Louis 1

Arizona 6, Houston 3

Today's games

Washington (L.Hernandez 6-11) at Philadel-

phia (Hamels 13-6), 7:05 p.m.

San Diego (Latos 6-11) at Cincinnati (Arroyo

7-9), 7:10 p.m.

San Francisco (Cain 9-8) at Florida (Nolasco 8-

8), 7:10 p.m.

Chicago Cubs (Zambrano 9-6) at Atlanta (Mil-

litt 1-2), 7:35 p.m.

Pittsburgh (Maholm 6-12) at Milwaukee

(Greinke 10-4), 8:10 p.m.

Colorado (A.Cook 2-6) at St. Louis (Lohse 9-7),

8:15 p.m.

N.Y. Mets (Gee 10-3) at Arizona (I.Kennedy

14-3), 9:40 p.m.

Houston (Norris 5-8) at L.A. Dodgers (Eovaldi

1-0), 10:10 p.m.

Tomorrow's games

Pittsburgh at Milwaukee, 4:10 p.m.

Washington at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m.

Chicago Cubs at Atlanta, 7:10 p.m.

San Diego at Cincinnati, 7:10 p.m.

San Francisco at Florida, 7:10 p.m.

Colorado at St. Louis, 7:15 p.m.

N.Y. Mets at Arizona, 8:10 p.m.

Houston at L.A. Dodgers, 10:10 p.m.

ATHLETICS 10, BLUE JAYS 3

Oakland	ab	r	h	bi	Toronto	ab	r	h	bi
SSizmr 3b	6	2	2	0	YEscor ss	3	1	0	0
Pngtn ss	3	2	1	2	JMcDnl ss	0	0	0	0
Matsui dh	6	2	4	2	EThms lf	4	0	1	1
Wnglf lf	3	2	0	0	Baudist rf	3	1	0	0
Clcksn 1b	5	1	1	3	RDavis rf	0	0	0	0
DeJesse rf	3	0	1	0	Lind dh	4	0	1	0
KSuzuk c	4	0	1	0	Encnc 1b	3	0	1	1
Sweeny cf	4	0	1	1	Teahen 1b	1	0	0	0
Rosales 2b	4	1	0	0	Rasms cf	4	0	0	0
A.Hill 2b	4	0	1	0					
Arend c	4	1	1	1					
Lawrie 3b	3	0	0	0					
Totals	38	10	11	8	Totals	33	3	5	2

Oakland	006	004	000	10
Toronto	000	200	100	3
E—Pennington (16), L.Perez (2), Lawrie (2),				
LOB—Oakland 13, Toronto 6, 2B—S.Sizemore				
2 (11), Pennington (15), DeJesse (16),				
K.Suzuki (2), Lind (12), A.Hill (15), 3B—				
C.Jackson (1), HR—Arencibia (19), SF—				
C.Jackson.				

Oakland	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Moscoco W,5-6	6	3	2	1	2	6
De Los Santos	1	1	1	1	1	1
Fuentes	1	0	0	0	0	2
Breslow	1	1	0	0	0	0
Toronto						
Mills L,1-2	3	5	6	6	2	5
Camp	2	1	0	0	2	1
L.Perez	1	2	4	1	3	1
T.Miller	1	1	0	0	1	0
Rauch	1	0	0	0	0	1
F.Francisco	1	2	0	0	1	1
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	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pt
Columbus	23	9	7	7	24	22	34
Philadelphia	22	8	5	9	27	20	33
Kansas City	23	7	7	9	32	30	30
New York	24	6	6	12	37	33	30
Houston	23	6	7	10	28	28	28
D.C. United	21	6	6	9	29	33	27
New England	23	4	10	9	22	33	21
Toronto	25	3	11	11	24	46	20
Chicago	22	2	7	13	23	30	19

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pt
Los Angeles	25	13	3	9	35	20	48
Dallas	24	12	6	6	31	24	42
Seattle	24	11	5	8	35	27	41
Colorado	25	9	6	10	35	31	37
Real Salt Lake	21	10	5	6	30	16	36
Chivas USA	23	7	8	8	30	26	29
Portland	22	7	10	5	28	35	26
San Jose	23	5	8	10	25	30	25
Vancouver	23	3	11	9	25	36	18

Note: Three points for a win, one for a tie.

Tomorrow's games

Chivas USA at Seattle, 4 p.m.

Real Salt Lake at Toronto, 7 p.m.

New England at Columbus, 7:30 p.m.

Vancouver at D.C. United, 7:30 p.m.

Chicago at New York, 7:30 p.m.

FC Dallas at Philadelphia, 8 p.m.

Colorado at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.

Sunday's game

Portland at Houston, 9 p.m.

CFL

WEEK SEVEN

EAST DIVISION									
	GP	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pt		
Winnipeg	6	5	1	0	152	113	10		
Montreal	6	4	2	0	195	152	8		
Hamilton	6	3	3	0	152	144	6		
Toronto	6	1	5	0	128	178	2		

WEST DIVISION									
	GP	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pt		
Edmonton	6	5	1	0	169	127	10		
Calgary	6	4	2	0	149	137	8		
B.C.	6	1	5	0	150	172	2		
Saskatchewan	6	1	5	0	112	184	2		

Last night's result

Edmonton at Montreal

Tonight's game

Calgary at Saskatchewan, 9 p.m.

Tomorrow's games

Toronto at Hamilton, 7 p.m.

Winnipeg at B.C., 10 p.m.

TENNIS

ATP ROGERS CUP

At Montreal

Singles

Third Round

Novak Djokovic (1), Serbia, def. Marin Cilic,

Croatia, 7-5, 6-2.

Tomas Berdych (7), Czech Republic, def. Ivo

Karlovic, Croatia, 6-3, 7-6 (2).

Stanislav Wawrinka (14), Switzerland, def.

Kevin Anderson, South Africa, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4.

Janko Tipsarevic, Serbia, def. Ivan Dodig,

Croatia, 6-1, 6-4.

Doubles

Third Round

Samantha Stosur (10), Australia, def. Li Na

(6), China, 6-2, 6-4.

Andrea Petkovic (11), Germany, def. Petra

Kvitova (7), Czech Republic, 6-1, 6-2.

Roberta Vinci, Italy, def. Ana Ivanovic, Serbia,

7-6 (3), 6-2.

Victoria Azarenka (4), Belarus, def. Maria

Jose Martinez Sanchez, Spain, 6-1, 6-2.

Galina Voskoboeva, Kazakhstan, def. Maria

Sharapova (5), Russia, 6-3, 7-5.

Agnieszka Radwanska (13), Poland, def. Vera

Zvonareva (3), Russia, 6-4, 7-6 (4).

Doubles

Second Round

Gisela Dulko, Argentina, and Flavia Pennetta

(2), Italy, def. Marina Erakovic, New Zealand,

and Julia Georges, Germany, 4-6, 6-2, 10-6

tiebreak.

Victoria Azarenka, Belarus, and Maria Kir-

ilenko (4), Russia, def. Ana Ivanovic, Serbia,

and Andrea Petkovic, Germany, 4-1, retired.

Klaudia Jans-Ignacik and Alicja Rosolska,

Poland, def. Chuang Chia-jung, Taiwan, and Ol-

ga Govortsova, Belarus, 2-6, 6-4, 12-10

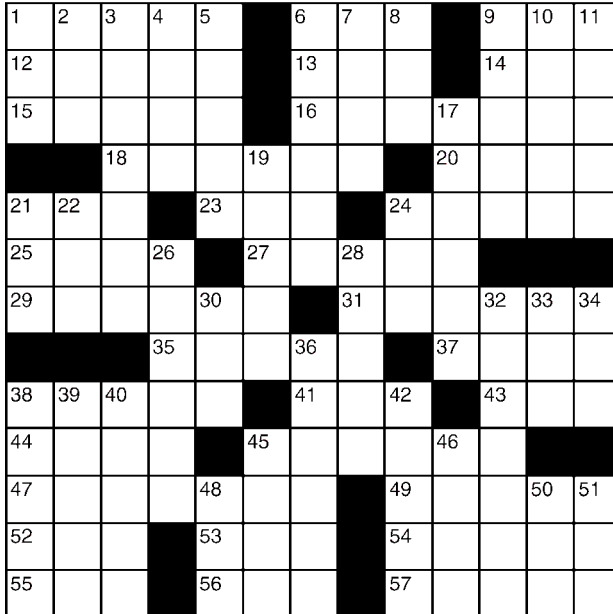
Crossword

Across

1 Smells
6 Fire residue
9 Peculiar
12 Column style
13 Menagerie
14 Expert
15 Parasite sucker
16 Very convenient, as shopping
18 Drainage network
20 Sommelier's suggestion
21 Overweight
23 Hatchet
24 Shoe fasteners
25 Help a hood
27 Muslim faith
29 Leave
31 Reveal
35 Sew loosely
37 Unforeseen problem
38 Commandment verb
41 Work unit
43 Tokyo's old name
44 Skin opening
45 Fashions
47 Low-rated, as a movie
49 Different
52 "— Tiki"
53 Japanese sash
54 Sleep soundly?
55 Geological period
56 "Of course"
57 Fully filled

Down

1 Lubricate
2 Fawn's mama
3 Ballroom dance in
2/4 time



4 Uncle Ben's product
5 Unstressed vowel symbol
6 Portuguese island group
7 Half the children
8 Weeding need
9 Vision-related
10 Hum boringly
11 Nitwits
17 Overwhelms
19 Ways out
21 Craze
22 Copper head
24 Remiss
26 "You Turned the —

on Me"
28 Suspicious
30 Scoundrel
32 Having no sequel
33 Blue
34 Swelled head
36 Popular 1990s computer game
38 Put one's two cents in
39 Esteem
40 Sports venue
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48 Plaything

50 Before
51 Roulette choice

Yesterday's answer



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Mitchel

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Hunter

Hey, you no one but you knows who this is, so i can say in front of the whole city "I love you" I do, you know. Can't wait till we go to Hong Kong. EBF

"Muffin"

I just wanted to let you know how special you are to me, I Adore every inch of you, Can't wait to kiss those sexy lips. Love "Pie" Xoxoxox PIE

ToJohn

I miss you babe. <3 Come back to me my love! TICK

Today's horoscope

♈ Aries March 21-April 20 You may be at your most confident. But you must accept that some people will not agree with your views.

♉ Taurus April 21-May 21 Some people get emotional for the most ridiculous of reasons. Such a person will give you a hard time today.

♊ Gemini May 22-June 21 Only you can decide to continue with something you had high hopes for.

♋ Cancer June 22-July 22 You will have to be tough on people who lack your vision and passion but you must be sympathetic, too.

♌ Leo July 23-Aug. 23 Follow your gut, even if it leads you in directions not everyone is happy with.

♍ Virgo Aug. 24-Sept. 22 You may be tempted to tell a lie to avoid a conflict but chances are you will just make matters worse.

♎ Libra Sept. 23-Oct. 23 Everyone's emotions are a little bit on edge with the approaching full moon. Strive to stay calm.

♏ Scorpio Oct. 24-Nov. 22 Take initiative and show people that you are the kind of individual who can be trusted to get a job done.

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♐ Sagittarius Nov. 23-Dec. 21 If you want to be happy, you need to be out and about, seeing new places, meeting new people.

♑ Capricorn Dec. 22-Jan. 20 Try not to worry too much about your cash flow situation.

♒ Aquarius Jan. 21-Feb. 18 If you have a bad feeling about what someone is proposing, act on it.

♓ Pisces Feb. 19-March 20 You seem to be working harder than ever but are you working towards your objectives or those of other people? SALLY BROMPTON

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